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Partridge shooting opened today but I confined myself to clay pigeons and got in lots of reading.

We returned to town where I met Jean Monnet, Tommy and Van Helmont at the house. We talked for three hours about various things that should be done in connection with European integration as soon as the German election is over. The voting takes place today and we assume Adenauer will be reelected with a strong majority in the Bundestag.

Tonight E. and I went to the Theatre de Nouveautés to see an amusing play by André Roussin called "Lorsque l'Enfant Parait". It was an hilarious farce founded on the theme of the wife of a French Cabinet Minister, his daughter, his secretary (through the instrumentality of his son), and his housemaid, all becoming enceinte at the same time, three of them being unmarried.

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